

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	)	
	)	Confirmation No. 6275
RIVERS, Gordon, Thomas and CROSBY,	)	
Daniel, Lee	)	
Serial No. 10/526,298	)	Group Art Unit: 1797
	)	
Filed October 13, 2005	)	Examiner: Brian McCaig
	)	
METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS FOR	)	September 21, 2009
INHIBITING FORMATION OF	)	
<u>HYDROCARBON HYDRATES</u>	)	
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS		
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		

Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER**  
**TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 14, 2009, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-18. The rejection of each of these claims is herewith appealed.

Please charge the fee of \$540.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-1800, Shell Oil Company.

Respectfully submitted,  
RIVERS and CROSBY

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